

Water Sample Results - General Chemistry and Metals

Parameter	Units	Canadian Drinking Water Guideline	Detection Limit	Fraser Brook (004)	
				10-Dec-2004	3-Dec-2008
General Chemistry					
Total Alkalinity (Total as CaCO ₃)	mg/L	-	5	74	71
Chloride (Cl)	mg/L	250 AO	1	5	5
Colour	TCU	15 AO	5	ND	ND
Hardness (CaCO ₃)	mg/L	500 AO	-	79.1	75
Nitrate + Nitrite	mg/L	10	0.05	ND	1.2
Nitrite (N)	mg/L	1	0.01	ND	ND
Nitrate (N)	mg/L	10	0.05	ND	1.2
Nitrogen (Ammonia Nitrogen)	mg/L	-	0.05	ND	ND
Total Organic Carbon (C)	mg/L	-	0.5	ND	0.5
Orthophosphate (P)	mg/L	-	0.01	0.02	0.03
pH	pH	6.5 - 8.5 AO	-	7.6	8.05
Reactive Silica (SiO ₂)	mg/L	-	0.5	7.8	7.1
Sulphate (SO ₄)	mg/L	500 AO	2	5	4
Turbidity	NTU	5 AO	0.1	0.2	0.3
Conductivity	uS/cm	-	-	166	160
Anion Sum	me/L	-	-	1.73	1.73
Bicarb. Alkalinity (calc. as CaCO ₃)	mg/L	-	1	74	70
Calculated TDS	mg/L	-	1	94	95
Carb. Alkalinity (calc. as CaCO ₃)	mg/L	-	1	ND	ND
Cation Sum	me/L	-	-	1.78	1.71
Ion Balance (% Difference)	%	-	-	1.56	0.58
Langelier Index (@ 20C)	N/A	-	-	-0.68	-0.188
Langelier Index (@ 4C)	N/A	-	-	-1.08	-0.44
Saturation pH (@ 20C)	N/A	-	-	8.28	8.24
Saturation pH (@ 4C)	N/A	-	-	8.68	8.49
Calcium (Ca)	mg/L	-	0.1	19.3	18
Magnesium (Mg)	mg/L	-	0.1	7.5	7.3
Phosphorus (P)	mg/L	-	0.1	ND	ND
Potassium (K)	mg/L	-	0.1	1	1
Sodium (Na)	mg/L	200 AO	0.1	4	4.3
Bromide (Br)	mg/L	-	0.5	0.03	ND
Fluoride (F)	mg/L	1.5	0.1	ND	ND
Metals					
Aluminum (Al)	ug/L	-	10	ND	ND
Antimony (Sb)	ug/L	6	2	ND	ND
Arsenic (As)	ug/L	10	2	14	15
Barium (Ba)	ug/L	1000	5	5	6
Beryllium (Be)	ug/L	-	2	ND	ND
Bismuth (Bi)	ug/L	-	2	ND	ND
Boron (B)	ug/L	5000	5	30	27
Cadmium (Cd)	ug/L	5	0.3	ND	ND
Chromium (Cr)	ug/L	50	2	ND	ND
Cobalt (Co)	ug/L	-	1	ND	ND
Copper (Cu)	ug/L	1000 AO	2	ND	ND
Iron (Fe)	ug/L	300 AO	50	ND	ND
Lead (Pb)	ug/L	10	0.5	ND	ND
Manganese (Mn)	ug/L	50 AO	2	ND	ND
Molybdenum (Mo)	ug/L	-	2	ND	ND
Mercury (Hg)	ug/L	1	0.01		ND
Nickel (Ni)	ug/L	-	2	ND	ND
Selenium (Se)	ug/L	10	2	ND	ND
Silver (Ag)	ug/L	-	0.5	ND	ND
Strontium (Sr)	ug/L	-	5	150	150
Thallium (Tl)	ug/L	-	0.1	ND	ND
Tin (Sn)	ug/L	-	2	ND	ND
Titanium (Ti)	ug/L	-	2	ND	ND
Uranium (U)	ug/L	20	0.1	1.5	1.4
Vanadium (V)	ug/L	-	2	2	2
Zinc (Zn)	ug/L	5000 AO	5	ND	ND

Notes:

AO = Aesthetic Objective.

ND = not detected

ND() = not detected at the elevated detection limit shown in brackets ()

All guidelines are health-based MACs or IMACs, unless otherwise indicated.

Shaded values exceed guidelines.